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In re Application of: Gilbert Garitano
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Sir/Madam:

The following communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2004, due on or before September 24, 2004. A petition for a three-month extension of time from June 24, 2004 to September 24, 2004 is submitted. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.